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TITLE OF INVENTION CIS-PRENYLTRANSFERASES FROM THE RUBBER-PRODUCING PLANTS RUSSIAN DANDELION (TARAXACUM KOK-SAGHYZ) AND SUNFLOWER (HELIANTHUS ANNUS)

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4. 🔽 TI	ne US has been elected (Article 31).							
5.	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))							
	a. 🗾 is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).							
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6.	An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).							
	a. is attached hereto.							
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7. 🔽	Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))							
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8.	An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).							
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